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Docket No.: OSTEONICS 3.0-380  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Wang et al

Serial No.: 10/071,667

Group Art Unit: 3732

Filed: February 8, 2002

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

For: POROUS METALLIC SCAFFOLD FOR  
TISSUE INGROWTH

**SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully request that the enclosed photographs depicted as Figs. 5, 10A, 10B, and 13 be accepted for purposes of issuance of the above-captioned patent application. Pursuant to the requirements set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(b)(1)(i) and (ii), please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1095 in the amount of \$130.00, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h). The photographs are being submitted in lieu of drawings due to the nature of the subject matter.

Additionally, we are enclosing herewith 14 sheets of formal drawings for filing in connection with the above-identified application.

In the event there are any fees due or owing in connection with this matter, please

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